WELLINGTON SCHOOLS.

Rest of the Examination---A Few Sensible Suggestions.

The losing exercises of the Wellington Schls took place on the 29th ult. In the mi-annual examination the pupils m successful were: J Green, J Gillespind Fannie Uren. In the senior division s provincial prizes were awarded to: Fnie Uren, deportment; Mary Jane Wa punctuality and regularity; Jonathan Iren, proficiency. During the past yr two examinations were held for admisn to a high school, at which several candiates presented themselves. None succeded in getting the required number of arks, but on each occasion J. Green wat the head of the list.

In the jnor department the roll-of honor was: rank Hindley, deportment; Mary Isabell Pringle, regularity; Janet McNeil, profiency.

The trustes having in the previons year largely overdrawn their account, found themselves at the commencement of the school year with barely sufficient money to pay for cleaning the school, and with no fnds available for repairs or other incidental expenses. On the other hand, as usual, nearly all the windows of the school were broken. When things were in this poson a crowd of Wellington bys, who hbeen prominent in doing the mischi were brought before the magistrates Nanaimo on the charge of breakit the windows of the school. But, whe the case was still pending, the trasts managed to collect from the community at Wellington enough money to ear the damage, and the prosecution s consequently discontinued.

The daily avere of the whole school during the year w 70.41, and the total number of names rolled is 179, so that the average attendce is less than 50 per cent. of the nuber on the register. Nevertheless, as thattendance varies very much at diffent seasons of the year, the school sometimes inconveniently crowded. In this ground the people of Wellingte have considered themselves entitled tin enlargement of the school buildingand even to the grant of an additionteacher, and have occasionally made detods to that ef-et. Now, it is obvious at no each claims can be based on the nuber of children enrolled, nor on thesecasional crowds. They can be justified ny the average attendance. I would iggest that if parents would send heir children to school more regularly-f a daily average of one hundred weresent, as could easily be done with such large nmbers enrolled—they would tn be fully entitled to increased schoncommodation and in such circumstanc their demand would probably not be eregarded.

Wellington, July 2. STAINBURN.

OUR REDUCTION WORKS

Eastern News Reduced and Concentrated for Busy People.

The first sod of the Manitoba Central Ry. was turned on the 30thultimo.

A syndicate has agreed t advance the Panama Canal project and all funds reqd for this mammoth undertaking have been guaranteed.

Young, Superintendent-General stationery department Ottawa, is

John Macdonald presented the ges at the Royal Military College on the 28th ultimo. The highest honor was conferred upon the son of the Hon. H G. Joly.

Mr. Ross, member of the Legislature for Lunenburg, N. S., is dead.

J. T. Hawke, editor of the Moncton Transcript, has reached home after spending two months in Frederton jail for contempt of court. His reprnent at the station by a large crowd which followed in procession and accompnied by a band of music, escorted him to Lobson's Hall where he made a lengthy reply. A purse containing one thousand dollars accompanied the address.

A man digging a cellar near Clerm Mnn., found several human bdies buried head down. They were seve or eight feet in height, and had evidently been buried two hundred years.

It is proposed to raise sixty thousand dlrs to endow a chair in Queen's Uniersity in honor of Principal Grant.

OWNED NEAR MOODYVILLE.

Schooner Upset with Five Men—Two Men Drowned.

The steamer Yosemite was leaving Tacoma on Monday afternoon a report was in circulation that two men were drowned near Moodyville. A gathered the following from the accident: A schooner about 40 years, left the racwhich docked on Monday to have assistance in towing with for blue M. S. Caroline. Whilst Moodyville the schooner went out of the ocean. As she swam sailing a a conveyes a at the steamer man-of-

FOX.

QUESTION.

MES:

The matter with the American flag? Was it kept inside yesterday because it was a stormy day?

AMERICAN RESIDENT.

An Explanation.

What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word Malaria was comparatively unknown—to-day it is as common as any word in the English language, yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous diseases, as they and Malaria are intended to cover what our grandfathers called biliousness, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the Liver which in performing its functions finding it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channel is compelled to pass it off through the system, causing nervous troubles, Malaria, Bilious Fever, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its cures are marvelous.

Dentistry.

Dr. W. G. Finger, dentist, may be found at the office of Dr. R. F. Vernder, over the Masonic Building, Government street.

He intends to remain with us two weeks, and any person desiring first class dental work will do well to take advantage of this opportunity. All operative work done with the electric mallet, the latest and most perfect esern method for filling teeth. Gold crown work done to perfection. 2w*

A Hint.

The favorite "Brussels M. Glove," in summer shades, reached the "Lansdowne House" this day. John Pridge, Propr.*

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Wool) at the

Wilson, archi-

TO THE INCREDULOUS.

There was Never the Man Who was Fooled or Humbugged—He Humbugs Himself.

The human race affords in itself a most singular study. There are among the many class of thinkers, those who repose too much confidence in others, too little confidence in themselves, or no confidence in anything. The man who knows it all himself, the man who thinks somebody else knows it all and the man who thinks he knows who knows it all. The egotist, the simpleton and the skeptic. Recognizing the fact that people require more substantial evidence than mere words and promises, Drs. Darrin resort to the most legitimate method of advertising themselves by advertising their cures. That those among the community may be afforded an opportunity of investigating before calling in person upon the doctors, the following testimonials are published bearing evidence of the doctors' ability and skill as well as success.

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Mr. Editor—Dear Sir: I reside in North Yakima, W. T. I consulted Drs. Darrin for deafness. My left ear was totally deaf. With one operation with Drs. Darrin's electro-magnetic cure, of ten minutes, I was made to hear as well as ever in my life. Can be referred to as to the truth of my statement.

C. V. FOWLER.

AN OPEN LETTER.

SEATTLE, W. T.

DRS. DARRIN—Gentlemen: I now take the pleasure of writing you that after a full course of your electro-magnetic treatment I am entirely cured of a pain in my chest which has troubled me for over eight years. Having been under treatment by doctors of Liverpool, Glasgow, Calcutta and San Francisco, none of them did me any good until I came under your treatment, which I am sure has permanently cured me, for which, gentlemen, I beg to remain,

Yours gratefully,

WILLIAM LITTLE.

ASTHMA AND OPIUM HABIT CURED.

MR EDITOR—Dear Sir: I have been troubled with asthma for the past thirteen months, so bad as not to be able to do a day's work, and have suffered "torments of the damned." The paroxysms were so severe that my life was many times thought to be despaired of. I had tried everything, and a great many physicians. In order to get relief I had to resort to morphine, until I had contracted the habit. I put myself under their electro-magnetic treatment. Now, after several treatments, I am entirely cured of my asthma and the morphine habit, and I have no craving for the drug. I can be referred to at the McKenzie House, foot of Marion street, Seattle, W. T.

H. A. JOHNSON.

CURE OF CATARRH AND VARICOSE VEINS.

TO THE PUBLIC: For ten years I have been troubled with a very disagreeable catarrh and bronchitis. I finally got so bad that I had to give up my business of ranching and riding for my stock. The catarrh extended to my lungs and stomach. My physicians gave me up as incurable. Last October I came to Drs. Darrin, and now, after three months' treatment, I consider myself so far restored as to be able to do all my own work. Before treatment I had to give up horseback riding, and could not attend to my stock at all; now I can remain in the saddle all day without fatigue. My wife had also been troubled with dropsy, milk leg and varicose veins, so she could only walk with the greatest inconvenience, and it was painful to the touch, and finally broke out in a running sore. Drs. Darrin sent her medicines, and to our great joy, she is entirely cured.

Refer to me at Sprague, W. T.

FREDERICK MOHS.

The above gentleman, Mr. Mohs, owns a farm of 2700 acres and hundreds of cattle and horses, and these statements coming from a man of undoubted integrity, and whose reputation for veracity is above suspicion; must be admitted as positively true.

SCIATIC RHEUMATISM CURED.

MR EDITOR—Dear Sir: For nearly a year I have been afflicted with sciatic rheumatism, and was so bad as to be unable to sit upon a chair or to get around, and suffered tortures indescribable. I came to the Drs. Darrin, Seattle, W. T.; and went under their electro-magnetic treatment and home treatment. I now consider myself entirely cured. Can be referred to at Port Blakely, W. T.

S. F. HOSKINSON.

DEAFNESS AND DISCHARGING EARS CURED.

TO THE PUBLIC: I have been troubled with deafness and a discharge of one ear for over twenty years, and have tried everything. I placed myself under the Drs. Darrin's electro-magnetic treatment and I am now cured of my long standing trouble. I cheerfully recommend the doctors to afflicted humanity. Can be referred to at Sinck Junction, W. T.

JOHN WOLFLIN.

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TO THE PUBLIC: For a number of years I have been troubled with overflowing of tears down my cheeks, and have been operated on a number of times by a physician without success. Called on the Drs. Darrin at the International Hotel, Cherry street, and they operated upon my eye, and I now feel great relief for the first time in fourteen years. I can be referred to at 1351 Railroad street, Tacoma, W. T.

MRS. A. J. QUENTAL.

A CERTIFIED CURE.

This is to certify that I have been troubled with weak eyes for over a year past, and with a constant pain over the eye and ball, and was almost blind at times. I went to Drs. Darrin and put myself under their electro-magnetic treatment, with the happiest results, as I consider myself cured. I can be gladly referred to at White River, W. T.

JOHN MULLEN.

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NOTICES.

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Chemainus, B. C. June 4th 1888.
je18-1m

NOTICE.

BY ORDER OF COURT, TENDERS WILL be received up to Thursday, the 12th day of July, 1888, at the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon, for the purchase for cash, of the accounts due and owing Uriah Nelson. The book of account may be seen on application at the office of Theodore Davie, Victoria. The highest or any tender not necessarily to be accepted.

Dated, Victoria, 25th June, 1888.

HARVEY COMBE,
je26td Receiver of the Estate of Uriah Nelson.

Stolen on Board Barbara Boscowitz

THE FOLLOWING REWARDS will be given to anyone bringing the undermentioned articles, which were stolen amongst other things on board the "Barbara Boscowitz," on the 12th May, 1888, to Mr. Redfern, Government Street, Victoria:

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of George William Grant, (late of Victoria, B. C.,) prior to the 22nd day of February, 1887, must file itemized accounts of the said claims in the office of Nicholles & Renouf, on or before the 10th day of July next, otherwise they will be excluded from the div. dend sheet.

HENRY CROFT,
JOHN NICHOLLES,
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Assignees.
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NOTICE.

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETing of the above Company will be held at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C., on the 19th of July, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors; The Election of a Board of Directors; The consideration of the advisability of reducing the number of Directors and changing the date of General Meetings, and also to take into consideration future action to be taken regarding the mine.

By order of the Directors,

W. A. JOHNSTON, Secretary.
Quesnelle, B. C. June 9th, 1888. je11 1w w1m

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO ANNOUNCE that he has purchased the Grain, Flour, Feed & Commission Business of Messrs. Brackman & Ker, of this city, and takes this opportunity of returning thanks to his many generous patrons for their favors in the past, and solicits a continuance of the same to his successors in the future.

J. C. DEVLIN.

TO THE PUBLIC.

IN REFERENCE TO THE ABOVE WE BEG to inform the public that we will continue the Grain, Flour & Feed Business as formerly, and respectfully solicit the patronage of all old customers and the trade generally, hoping by strict attention to business to merit the confidence of all who may favor us with their orders.

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"Coal Prospecting Act, 1887."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a license to prospect for coal on the unoccupied portion of Pumbo Island, Cowichan District, has been issued to Charles Gabriel.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 9th Feb., 1888.

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—H. L. Vanderbilt, the confidence operator and thief, is still safely housed in gaol at Seattle in default of $1000 bail. The arrival in Seattle of The Times containing an exposure of Vanderbilt's operations in this city, was the cause of his flight and subsequent arrest.

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—The floors in the public schools at New Westminster have not been washed for three years. Visitors at the examination, who happened to lean against the walls, carried away samples of the dirt. How much sickness is attributable to the filthy condition of the of the school houses will of course never be known.

—For the largest and best assortment of Furniture, Carpets, Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, &c., go to J. Sehl, Government Street, where you are sure to get suited in style, quality and lowest prices.

—In connection with the proposed changes in the location and consequent shortening of a portion of the route between Savona's and Port Moody, Mr. Stewart, C. E., before leaving for the east, said that as yet the question was not decided and that he was not in a position to state what steps were being taken in the matter.

—Ross & Ceperley, Real Estate and Insurance, C. P. R. Co.'s lots for sale; correspondence solicited. P. O. Block, Hastings street, Vancouver, B. C.

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The man drowned from H. M. S. Caroline was a quartermaster on the ship Russel w at aboard the man-of-war and sa[illegible] for me, to assist him in sailing the boat. Two quartermasters and two blue jackets volunteered their services. Before starting Russell was told that he carried too much sail and ballast. When the boat turned over the whole crew went down. As they came to the surface Russell grabbed at the quartermaster, who was the best swimmer on the Caroline and they sank together. The other quartermaster was almost drowned when he was picked up and it was some time before he became conscious.

Beautiful Residences.

Mr. John Graham is erecting, at a cost of about seven thousand dollars, three very attractive houses on his property, Menzies street, James Bay. They are an adaptation of the early English style of architecture to the constructive conveniences of the present day, and will be an additional ornament to a locality which already boasts of several abodes of taste. They will be ready for occupation in about two months.

Takes Place To-Morrow.

The Methodist Sunday School Picnic, which was postponed yesterday, will take place to-morrow. Trains will leave the E. & N. R. depot at 8:20, 10 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. for the picnic ground. A number of games and sports have been arranged for the amusement of those who attend. Dancing is expected. Oysters and 20 cents [illegible]

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B. C. EXPRESS ROBBED.

Masked Men Stop the Stage—$3500 in Gold Dust Securrd.

A most daring robbery took place on Saturday evening at six o'clock about 26 miles above Soda Creek. The Cariboo four-hourse stage, Mr. J. R. Tait driver, was on a bridge when two masked men confronted him with a rifle and pistol, and ordered him to stop his horses. They then compelled him to leave the stage and took the sack out of the wagon which contained $3500 in gold dust. He was then ordered to get into his place and drive on. One of the highwaymen wore a dark calico mask; the other had a flour sack over his head. One man stood on each side of the stage when they ordered the driver to stop and the largest man kept Tait covered with the rifle until he drove away. There were no passengers on the waggon, and as the driver had the reins in his hands he had no chance to use weapons. The government agents are scouring the country with a number of special constables and all the Alexandria Indians are hunting for the robbers. A reward of $500 has been offered for their capture. It will be a very difficult thing for them to leave that portion of the country, and news of their arrest is expected in a short time. Mr. F. S. Barnard states that he believes the same men robbed the stage for years ago and succeeded in getting clear with $4,000. Mr. Tate's brother was driving the stage at that time and the robbery took place about 100 miles below the scene of the robbery on Saturday last.

OPIUM SMUGGLING.

Ex-Collector Gardner's Trial at Tacoma—Sealed Verdict

The trial of ex-Inspector of Customs Gardner, who was charged with being implicated in smuggling 540 pounds of opium from Victoria to Tacoma, Portland, Seattle and other points, took place at Tacoma on Friday and Saturday. Col. Hughes conducted the defence, and Attorney White prosecuted for the government. A number of witnesses were examined, and it was shown that on the 3rd of August, 1887, four trunks containing opium were placed on board the Geo. W. Starr at this city, and that these trunks were not examined in the usual way, the supposition being that the failure to do so was through collusion of the revenue officers concerned. The evidence was circumstantial, and at the close the jury brought in a sealed verdict, which it is thought will acquit the prisoner.

MURDERED AND ROBBED.

Body of a Man Found at Vancouver With His Throat Cut.

On Sunday night the police at Vancouver received information that a man was murdered in Coal Harbor. They proceeded to the spot and discovered the remains of a man with his throat cut from ear to ear. The body was brought to Vancouver and placed in an undertaking establishment. The pockets in the man's clothes were turned inside out and it is believed that he was murdered and robbed. Nothing is known of the man excepting that his name is Jackson. An inquest was held in Vancouver to-day.

The "Islander."

Messrs. Napier, Shanks & Bell, of Glasgow, have on exhibition at the Glasgow International Exhibition, a model of a twin-screw of 1,500 tons, and 3,000 horse-power, at present in course of construction by them. It is a shade-deck vessel, with ranges of cabins on main and spar decks in the style of American steamers. She has very fine lines, and will have a speed of at least fifteen knots. She is intended for conveyance of passengers to and from Victoria, in connection with the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Victoria District Election

The result of the polling in Victoria District on Saturday gave Tolmie a majority of 23, the vote standing as follows: J. Tolmie, 137; J. T. McIlmoyl, 114. It is claimed by Mr. McIlmoyl's friends that the one hundred and fourteen votes cast for him largely represent the intelligence of the district and about three-fourths of the property in it.

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The undersigned has the largest and best selected stock of organs to be found in British Columbia, the Mason & Hamlin, The Doherty and others. Purchasers can find what they want, both in price and quality, at T. W. Fletcher, Fort street, agent for the Domestic Sewing Machines, the Star that leads them all. 2w*

Our "Fortifications"

A telegram from Ottawa on the 29th says the Dominion Inspector of Artillery would leave for Vancouver that night to examine the fortifications. The government has determined to accept the Imperial authorities' proposition to garrison the forts. Six eighty-ton guns will be shipped from Woolwich next month.

Miss McLeod, M. D.,

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Esquimalt Defences.

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OUR TOWN MAJOR.

Resorts Wanted for Mechanics—The Pulpits—A Moral Sheet.

The bountiful down pour of rain of Saturday was against the usual enjoyment of our Saturday afternoon's amusements. Our hard worked mechanics, especially the single men, have but few resorts except the bar room. The St. Joseph's Society club room affords, to a few, a means for innocent recreation and amusement. Would not the establishment of a Mechanics' Institute be a great boon to many of our working men? The lately appointed secretary of the Y.M.C.A. has in this a field, where all the good qualities of his training can be brought into play. Our increasing manufactories demand the immediate foundation of such an institution. Coupled with the institute there ought to be a school of design which should received the support of both city and Provincial Governments. It has became an imperitive necessity.

The weather and the excursions thinned the attendance at the city churches on Sunday. One able minister (Rev. Mr. McLeod) has given his powerful voice to aid "The Major" regarding the principal planks of his platform; others followed. One spoke fluently and vigorously on the theme of social exclusiveness, especially in church matters. The earnest works of the preacher seemed to sink deep into the minds of his hearers. Sabbath desecration was the subject from another pulpit. All speak volumes in favor of "The Major's" ideas and proves conclusively that the efforts of The Times in bringing about a new order of things is commencing to bear fruit. Of course there will be echoes in plentitude as in other matters. A few short years from now, when Victoria will boast of a civic hall almost rivaling Solomon's temple in grandeur in front of which will be erected a monument, and like that of Athens of old, will be dedicated to "the great unknown — our Town Major," as a tribute for having awakened this people to a sense of their wants.

If the property holders and ratepayers fear to entrust the carrying out of the vital improvements referred to from time to time, then let the matter be placed in the hands of Royal Commissioners, appointed by the Lieutenant Governor, endorsed by the people in public meeting assembled. The city has many men of wealth and probity, who could be well trusted with the duties of such. Say the Mayors, past and present, with the addition of a few others from outside any political rings or cliques, who would honestly work for the common good. Time is slipping by, and Victoria has many rivals; other places will not be so dead to their own interests as to not avail themselves of opportunities to become its competitor. Action, and that immediate, is necessary. Think and ponder over the Major's plan. Every one acknowledges the necessity of the matters; then why delay?

The Major is glad to observe that Victoria is improving slowly, but gradually. The completion of the spire to St. John's Church adds another attraction to the architectural beauties of the city—it's like a good many more things in appearance—solid, with broad base and not much ambition; being of the unique extinguisher kind. It certainly extinguishes all other city ornaments. If it could only come down and have a look at itself it would never go up again.

The moralist (?) sheet of Government street, with all its cant on civic morality, endeavors and tries to throw dust in our eyes, and the reason why it has raised such a cry is simply because "he" failed to secure the Mayoralty. It's not the licence of Fee, as all can plainly see, what the *Colonist* in reality want—(it has one already)—in making all this bustle and talk of "Coward Castle;" 'tis simply to abuse, in epithets profuse, the civic actions of Grant. And now, my foul sheet, to you it were mete, my dear psalm singing Stiggins, bad you by means foul or fair, secured the civic chair, for that great moral jurist named H——ns. That's about the size of it, without any more palaver, so says The Town Major.

The Bairnsfathers

This celebrated family of Scottish vocalists appeared at the Victoria on Saturday evening, and will give an entire change of programme to-night. Mr. Bairnsfather is an excellent delineator of Scotch character, and possesses a great fund of anecdote and story. The entertainment is a capital one, and ought to be heard by every Scotchman in the city. To-night the following songs will be sung: "Cam ye by Athol," "Mary o' Argyle," "Ye Banks and Braes," "Oh! Sing to me the Auld Scotch Sangs," "Bothwell Bay," "Robin Adair," "Caller Herrin," "Charlie is my Darling," "Crounie o' Mine," "The Married Man's Lament," "A Man's a Man for a' that," and others. Lovers of Scottish music will be present in large numbers, as it is seldom such an opportunity is presented in Victoria. Etta Bairnsfather has a sweet voice, and is frequently encored; and Mr. Bairnsfather's "Scots Wha Hae," is not inferior to Kennedy's.

For Seattle.

The steamer Alaskan carried a large number of excursionists to Seattle this morning. Amongst the passengers were the Amity baseball players. The steamer Premier left Vancouver this afternoon with the Victoria, Seattle and Vancouver hose teams, and about five hundred excursionists. The following were amongst the passengers on the steamer Olympian this morning: Major Prior, M P, Capt A Jones, Capt Smallfield, T J Burnes, Miss Kate Burnes, Miss Madigan, Misses Storey, M Lenz, Mrs Marboeuf, J H Mansell and Walter Wilson. The following will leave to-morrow morning at 1 o'clock: H R Ella, G Garesche, O B Hardy, J Brady and wife, Misses Brady, E J Thain, Miss Jenkinson, Miss Johns, Misses Frans, F B Gibbs and R Beauchamp.

Miners' Meeting.

A mass meeting of miners was held at East Wellington, on Saturday June 30th. It was a very wet day; the rain poured down unceasingly, but in spite of rain there was a large attendance of miners at the meeting. The business transacted was of very great importance and very freely discussed. There were several motions proposed, debated and unanimously carried in favor of the schemes that came before the meeting. After standing under a continual downpour of rain for two hours, a vote of thanks to Mr. Griffin, chairman, and to the press brought the meeting to a close.

John Buckle, Sec.

Business at the Hotels.

The hotels of the city have been doing a rushing business for the past few weeks many of them being filled to their highest capacity. The Driard ledger intimates that there is "no room" there occasionally and the accommodating host of the Clarence exerts himself daily to locate a number of his guests comfortably "on the outside." Good hotels, a delightful climate and a clean, beautiful, healthy city will always pay dividends. Is Victoria as clean and healthy as she might be?

The Next Drama.

Mr. Dave R. Berkley, advance representative of the Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde Co., is in the city. This combination will appear at the Victoria on Monday and Tuesday evenings next, presenting a double bill on the second evening.

Dr. Jekyll & Mr. Hyde.

There is probably no story of the present century or play which has excited so much interest as this one both with the press and public. It has a weird fascination about it, and an application by comparison to the dual existence led by so many amongst us, that creates an interest. Ministers of religion have preached about it, and now we are promised a visit to our opera house on Monday next with one of the best versions of the work, represented by Mr. George M. Wood, an eminent English actor and his excellent company, who have recently made a successful visit to the United States, with Miss Marguerite St. John, a young lady of considerable personal attractions and of unquestionable talent. She is, we believe, a member of the well known Irish family the Ormondes, and though a member of the aristocracy seeks only success from her own artistic merit. The press of both countries have spoken in such high praise of these artists that we are convinced they will be welcomed by the crowded and fashionable audiences the representation merits.

Wedding Bells.

Mr. Joseph Sears, the well-known Yates street painter and glazier, will be married this evening to Miss Ada Petitt, a young lady recently from England. The marriage ceremony will take place at St. John's Church at 7 o'clock. The party will then return to Mr. Sears' residence where a wedding dinner will be partaken of, after which the happy couple will leave on the steamer Olympian for Portland.

A double wedding will take place at the R. C. pro Cathedral to morrow morning. Mr. George Tribe will be united to Miss Rhoda Johnson and Mr. Archibald McDonald, of Vancouver, will be wedded to Miss Annie Johnson of this city.

Mr. Edward Forrest, of McPherson's station, will marry Miss Rutledge this evening. The interesting event will take place at the Clarence Hotel.

The Times offers congratulations in advance to the prospective happy ones.

Services Acknowledged.

Mrs. J. Robson, an employee for about seven years in Mr. D. Spencer's dry goods establishment, was the recipient of a handsome silver cake dish from the ladies and gentlemen of the house, and a silver butter dish and china tea set from Miss Lazenby, and an elegant black satin dress from Mr. Spencer. Mrs. Robson will go to Skeena River in a few days to join her husband.

Candy for Philadelphia.

Philadelphia claims to make and eat more candy in proportion to population than any other city in the country. There are eighty-seven manufacturers and wholesalers and 1,200 retailers, and they use more than $1,000,000 of capital and consume 100,000 tons of sugar every year. Caramels are a great specialty of the trade in that city. For other places much chocolate and walnut candy and many gum drops are made. Six tons of gum drops were shipped from Philadelphia to Pittsburg the week before Christmas. Brooklyn makes the most chewing gum, it is said, and Boston eats the most of it. —New York Sun.

In Southeastern Tennessee.

"One day a man whom I met," said the Chicago man, "had occasion to go from his home to the county seat. He was a man of more intelligence than most of his fellows, but he had never in his life been away from home before. He had never seen a town. The nearest approach to one he had seen was the collection of houses about the store where he sold his truck and bought his bacon. When he got back from the county seat I asked him what he thought of what he saw. 'Well,' said he, 'all I got ter say is this: If this world is as big on the right uv us as it is on the left she must be a reglur whale.'"—Chicago Tribune.

A Chimpanzee's Grief.

Dr. Brown has given a description of the grief manifested by a chimpanzee on the death of its mate. His grief was shown by tearing his hair or snatching at the short hair on his head. The yell of rage was followed by a cry the keeper had never heard before, a sound which might be represented by hah-ah-ah-ah-ah uttered somewhat under the breath, and with a plaintive sound like a moan.—Professor E. S. Morse in Popular Science Monthly.

Gaol Supplies.

The following are the successful tenderers for supplies to the provincial gaol for the year beginning 1st of July inst.: H. Saunders, groceries; A. Gilmore & Co., clothing; J. Parker, beef and vegetables; J. J. Wilson, bread; Victoria Coal & Wood Yard, coal and wood.

Adjourned Assize Court.

The adjourned Assizes will be held at Nanaimo on the 5th inst., when the Seabird and Miller and Dring cases will be heard. The Hon. Mr. Justice Crease, Theo. Davie, Q. C., S. Perry Mills and Mr. Chas. Wilson will leave in the morning to attend the court.

Shipping.

The steamer Sir James Douglas left this afternoon for the Fraser river sandheads.

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